



Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones

October 17, 1956 - December 30, 2022

Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones, 66, passed away on December 30, 2022, in Houston, Texas following a brief but brave battle with cancer.

Lanita was born October 17, 1956, in Springhill, Louisiana, the daughter of Martha Jean Waldrop Parkerson and the late Rudolph Waldrop. Lanita married Robert Jones on December 15, 1973, and together they built a life they loved. She was a hard-working and dedicated wife and mother with a heart for serving and taking care of others.

Visitation will be Friday, January 6, 2023, from 5:00 to 8:00 pm at Calvert Funeral Home in West Point. Funeral services will be Saturday, January 7, 2023 at 10:00 am at First Baptist Church in West Point with Bro. Dale Funderburg officiating. Burial will follow in Cedar Bluff Cumberland Presbyterian Cemetery. Calvert Funeral Home of West Point is honored to be entrusted with the arrangements.

Lanita was preceded in death by her father and one grandson, Jonathan Fondren. In addition to her mother and husband, she is survived by three daughters, Stephany Watson (Kent) of Cedar Bluff, Amanda Fondren (Jason) of Columbus, and Heather Lawley (Ben) also of Cedar Bluff; eight grandchildren, Brandon Clardy (Kellie), Josh Watson (Kacey), Bryan Robert Watson, Baker Watson, Morgan Franks (Alyssa), Raichel Franks (Austin

Pinkerton), Holland Lawley, and Hinton Lawley; two honorary grandchildren, Reagan Freeman of West Point and Cristil Salgado of Brazil; five great-grandchildren, Dalton and Gracyn Clardy, Kinsleigh, Tucker, and Sawyer Franks; one sister, Nancy Petty of Cedar Bluff; one brother, Richard Waldrop (Cynthia) of Benton, Louisiana, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and close friends. Pallbearers will be Brandon Clardy, Jeremy Dubois, Morgan Franks, Austin Pinkerton, Josh Watson, Bryan Robert Watson, and Baker Watson. Honorary Pallbearers will be Hinton Lawley, Tucker Franks, Sawyer Franks, and her nephews.

Memorials may be sent to The Gideon's International Processing Center, P.O. Box 97251, Washington, D.C. 20090-7251 or to the charity of your choice.

Friends may leave an online condolence at www.calvertfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Cedar Bluff Cumberland Presbyterian Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Calvert Funeral Home
P.O. Box 77
27600 East Main Street
West Point, MS 39773
(662) 494-2833
info@calvertfuneralhome.com
<https://www.calvertfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

JAN 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church
134 E Broad St
West Point,, MS 39773
(662) 494-4213

Tribute Wall

BG

“ So very sorry for the loss of your sweet loved one, Lanita. She always had a smile on her face and a kind word to share. She will be missed. Robert, you, the girls and all the family will be in my thoughts and prayers. May God give you peace and comfort. Hugs and love, Brenda Gentry

Brenda Gentry - January 09, 2023 at 12:11 AM

MB

“ So very sorry to hear of Lanita’s passing...she was a sweet friend and a classmate...she will be missed...prayers for God’s peace to surround your family...



Mona Burrow-Greenwood - January 07, 2023 at 10:11 PM

BH

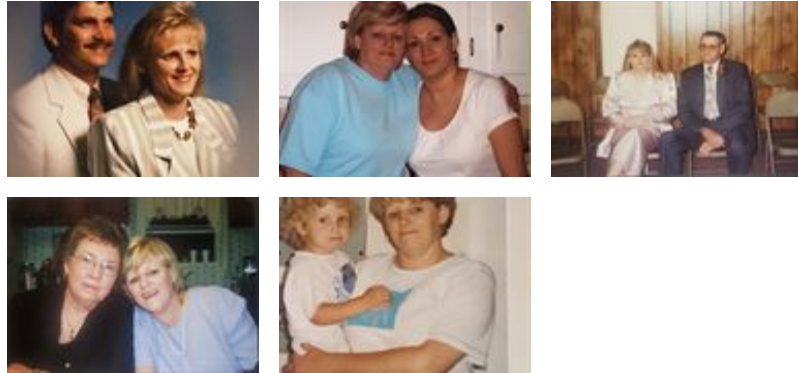
“ Bonnie and Terry Hesketh purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.



Bonnie and Terry Hesketh - January 06, 2023 at 06:44 PM



“ 76 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Calvert Funeral Home - January 06, 2023 at 02:46 PM



“ *Sam Beatty And Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.*



Sam Beatty And Family - January 06, 2023 at 02:07 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.*



January 06, 2023 at 12:46 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.*



January 06, 2023 at 12:06 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Lanita*



Ellen E Haase - January 06, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ *We are so sorry to hear about Lanita. Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family. God bless each of you.*
Love & prayers,
Sammy & Lucy Crawford

Sam Crawford - January 05, 2023 at 06:38 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.*



January 05, 2023 at 04:44 PM

PF

“ To Lanita's family, I am so very sorry for your loss! It is certainly evident that she was loved and supported by all who knew her and were blessed by the gifts from the Lord on her life. It has been a long time, but I am glad that I met her and was privileged to be included in family gatherings on occasion. I pray our Lord, family and friends will give you all peace, comfort and wonderful memories of beautiful Lanita! Isaiah 55:12 Patsy Foster

Patsy O. Foster - January 05, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.



January 04, 2023 at 08:36 PM

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“ Ellen & Ted, Randy & Arlette, Joe & Rajen purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.



Ellen & Ted, Randy & Arlette, Joe & Rajen - January 04, 2023 at 04:20 PM

BG

“ So sorry to hear about Lanita. My condolences to her husband, Robert, her children, grandchildren, her mother Martha, her brother Richard and sister Nancy. Have known this loving family for most of her and my lives. Praying for God’s comfort for all these family members and wishing them God’s peace.

Betty Dennis Garner - January 04, 2023 at 03:06 PM

SI

“ I am so sorry about Lanita. She was always a wonderful person and a friend for many, many years. My thoughts and prayers are with all of her family at this most difficult time. Sheila (Davis) Toms Impson

SHEILA TOMS IMPSON - January 04, 2023 at 11:13 AM

GB

“ Gary & Susan Baker purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.



Gary & Susan Baker - January 04, 2023 at 10:34 AM

DD

“ Praying for Lanita’s precious family and rejoicing that Lanita is home and that she is healed.



Deb Duran - January 04, 2023 at 07:04 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.



January 03, 2023 at 10:16 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Lanita Waldrop Jones.



January 03, 2023 at 09:38 PM



“ Lanita was one of the sweetest, kindest ladies I have ever known. No doubt if we had lived closer to each other we would have been big buddies. She was a wonderful wife, mother, and grandmother. She served her family to the best of her abilities with a selfless love. My heart is broken for you Robert and for her children and extended family especially her Mother. Prayerfully, Sharon Dennis

Sharon Dennis - January 03, 2023 at 04:42 PM